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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Milton Charles Van Noland

Serial No.: 10/630,947

Group No.: 1723

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For: Filter Apparatus and Method with Centrifugal Separator for Removing Contaminants from a Fluid

**Mail Stop Patent Application
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

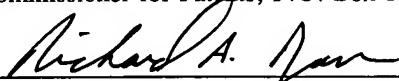
3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.
Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for one (1) month:

Fee: \$60.00

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I hereby certify that the papers and/or fees identified in this letter are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee
Total	45	Minus	61	= 0	x \$50=	\$ 0
Indep.	3	Minus	4	= 0	x \$200 =	\$ 0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ \$360 =	\$ 0
Total						
Addit. Fee:						\$ 0
Small Entity:						\$ 0

PAYMENT

5. A check in the amount of \$60.00 is included herewith.

CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

6. Attached hereto is a Change of Correspondence Address for the attorney of record.

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